

Official charitable organization of the Chicago District Golf Association

Youth on Course COVID-19 Guidelines

Updated as of March 2021

- Youth on Course members age 13 and younger are required to be accompanied by an adult (18 years or older) to assure that proper social distancing guidelines are being adhered to. It will be at the individual golf course's discretion whether the adult has to pay if not playing along with the YOC member (we have limited this to at least one adult per foursome).
- All YOC members must call the facility in advance to double check availability and make tee times. Because Illinois golf courses are experiencing operational changes due to the rapidly evolving COVID-19 pandemic, many YOC facilities have revised their availability. We are requiring everyone to call the golf course ahead of time to verify YOC availability directly with the club. Some courses may require a photo ID to go along with the member's YOC number.
- YOC members MUST adhere to Illinois golf course safety guidelines for playing. <u>CLICK HERE</u> for the current Illinois Golf Guidelines.

ADDITIONAL ON-COURSE GOVERNMENT-DEFINED PLAYER RESTRICTIONS:

- Any players with any symptoms of COVID-19 should not play
- In addition, any players from a household with someone with symptoms of COVID-19 should not play
- Please observe social distancing. No congregation of more than ten players at any point during your visit to the property
- It is recommended that golfers walk and carry their own clubs
- Flagsticks may not be touched
- Do not touch any rakes in the bunkers. Please smooth sand with your feet or club
- Bring your own supply of balls, tees, ball markers, and any other equipment needed to play golf
- Insist on social distancing on tees, greens, and throughout the round
- Players shall maintain adequate physical distancing between other groups
- Golfers should pick up their own ball
- Handle your own scorecard
- Bring your own water/sports drink, towel, and snack
- Do not use the public drinking fountain or ball cleaner
- Put on your golf shoes at your vehicle
- Bring hand sanitizer with you and use during your round and at the end
- No handshakes at the beginning or end of the round

